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Morgantown, WV 26505-3101

File Code: 3400

Date: June 14, 2007

Fort Detrick
ATTN: Betty Boyland
1500 Porter Street
Frederick, MD 21702-5000

Dear Betty:

On June 11, 2007, I conducted an aerial survey for gypsy moth-caused tree defoliation at Fort Detrick. I am pleased to report that no defoliation was detected at, or in the immediate vicinity of, your site. However, gypsy moth populations are increasing in your area as defoliation was detected only a couple of miles from your site.

If you anticipate requesting either financial or technical assistance for gypsy moth control in 2008, please contact Brad Onken (304) 285-1546 or me (304) 285-1555 before August 24, 2007.

Please contact me at the above number if you have any questions regarding this aerial survey letter.

Sincerely,

RODNEY L. WHITEMAN
Forester
Forest Health Protection

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